

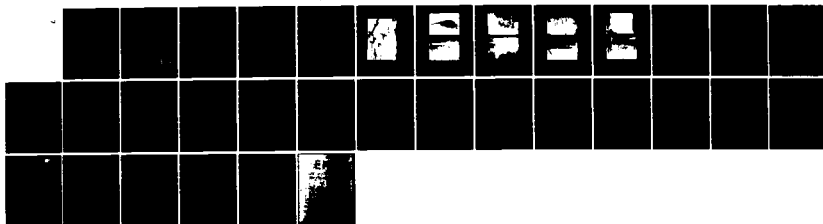
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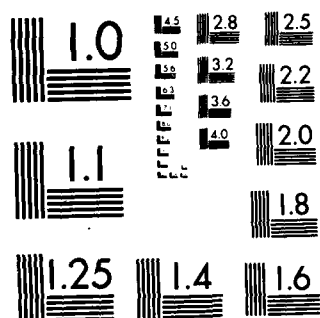
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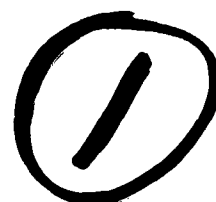
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INSPECTION REPORT  
LANGERS POND DAM  
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Langers Pond Dam is a 10.5 foot high, "L-shaped", run-of-the-river stone masonry gravity structure. It is located on the French River in Wilsonville, Connecticut and owned by the Simonds Company, also of Wilsonville. The dam was constructed in 1880 to supply water for the generation of power for the mill at the dam, now the Simonds Company. In recent times, the power generating facilities have been inoperable, however, the present owner is in the process of restoring these facilities. The drainage area is approximately 97 square miles and the maximum impoundment to the top of the dam is 156 acre-feet.

Because the dam is a run-of-the-river structure, the entire length of the dam is used as a spillway. It is 160 feet in length, and constructed of stone masonry with a concrete section along the upstream face. The concrete section is 15 inches wide and forms the crest of the dam at elevation 383.0. The stone masonry section is about 4.5 to 5 feet wide at the top (elevation 381.0), 11 feet wide at the base (elevation 372.5), and has a stepped downstream face. The training wall at the left end of the dam is about 3.5 feet above the dam crest and is constructed of stone and mortar masonry. At the right end, the dam abuts the concrete foundation of one of the Simonds Company buildings.

There is no low-level outlet at the dam. The only method of releasing water, other than over the dam, is through the channel which was once used to supply water for generating purposes. However, at this time the channel is almost completely filled in and the gates of the upstream end are severely deteriorated.

For the owner's information and use, the following items are attached in duplicate:

1. Hydraulic/Hydrologic Computations
2. General Plan w/Typical Section and Profile
3. Photographs
4. Visual Inspection Check List

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Based upon the visual inspection, the project appears to be in good condition. The following features which could influence the future condition and/or stability were identified:

1. Stones appear to have become dislodged from the downstream face at the left side of the dam (Photo 1): If not repaired, more stone may become dislodged, leaving a weak zone in this area and possibly leading to failure of the structure.
2. The downstream end of the left training wall needs repair. The wall in this area is broken up and falling into the channel. If not repaired, undermining of the left abutment may occur during high flows, leading to gradual undermining and possible failure of the left side of the dam.
3. There is no low-level outlet at the dam. However, if the existing sluice way and gates are repaired, this should provide a sufficient outlet.

The owner should retain a registered professional engineer qualified in dam design and inspection to perform services pertaining to the following items. The engineer should establish correction measures which should then be instituted by the owner.

1. An attempt should be made to inspect the dam during period of low flow, so a more detailed inspection can be performed.
2. Recommendations should be made for repair of the downstream face of the dam and the left training wall.
3. The stone masonry should be repointed if the more detailed inspection reveals the need for this repair.

Also, the owner should insure that the crest of the dam and the channel at the toe of the dam remain clear of debris.



OVERVIEW PHOTO  
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Photo 1-Crest and downstream face of dam from the fill by the outlet channel at the right end of the dam. Note displacement of stones at left end of dam (Dec. 1980).



Photo 2 - Embankment and opening at road just upstream from dam (Dec. 1980).

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Photo 3 - Downstream face of dam where it abuts factory foundation at right end of dam (Dec. 1980).



Photo 4 - Masonry training wall and downstream face of dam at left end. Masonry retaining or cut-off wall at right side of photo in background (Dec. 1980).

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Photo 5 - Gate hoists and remains of wooden gates. The fill placed across the upstream end of the outlet channel is barely visible at lower right (Dec. 1980).

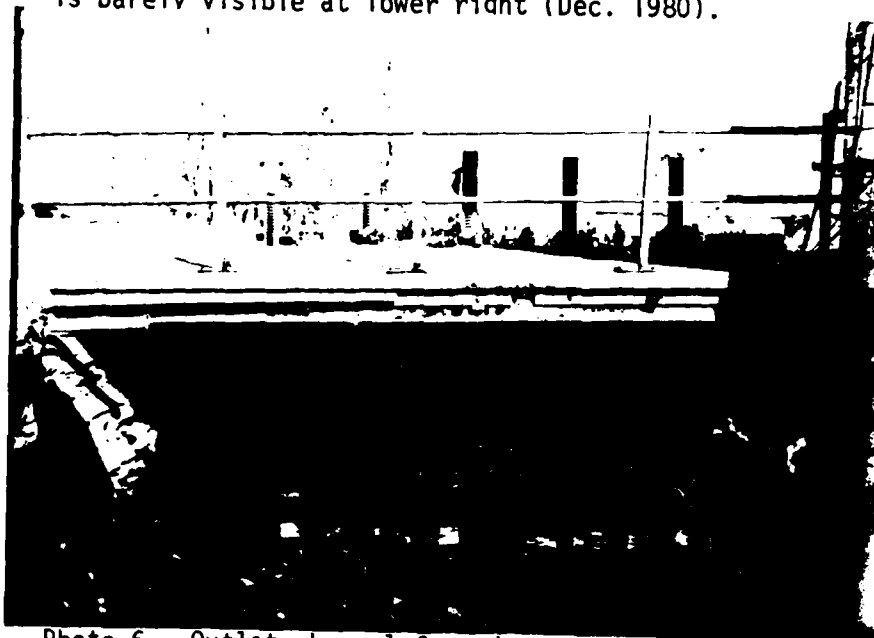


Photo 6 - Outlet channel from downstream. Gate hoists are visible in background, fill just above building housing the turbine is visible at lower left (Dec. 1980).

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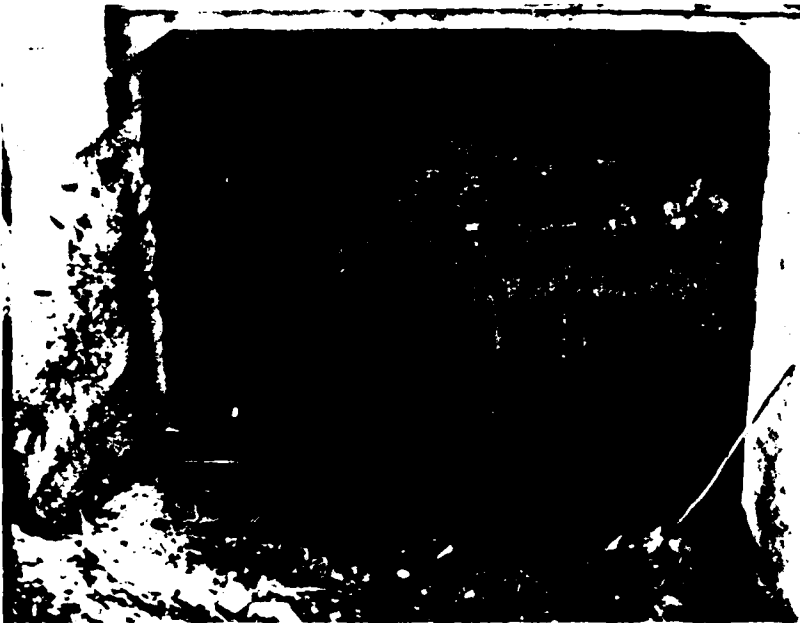


Photo 7 - Abandoned turbine looking downstream from fill in outlet channel. Drain holes in floor of concrete structure, allow water seeping through fill to flow back to the river,



Photo 8 - Outlet Channel taken from top of concrete structure containing turbine. Openings at base of building to the left are for turbine which no longer exists (Dec. 1980).

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**VISUAL INSPECTION CHECK LIST**  
**PARTY ORGANIZATION**

PROJECT Laguna Pond Dam

DATE: December 1, 1950

TIME: 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM

WEATHER: Sunny, 50°F

W.S. ELEV. 393.2 U.S. \_\_\_\_\_ DN. S

**PARTY:**

**INITIALS:**

**DISCIPLINE:**

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**PROJECT FEATURE**

**INSPECTED BY**

**REMARKS**

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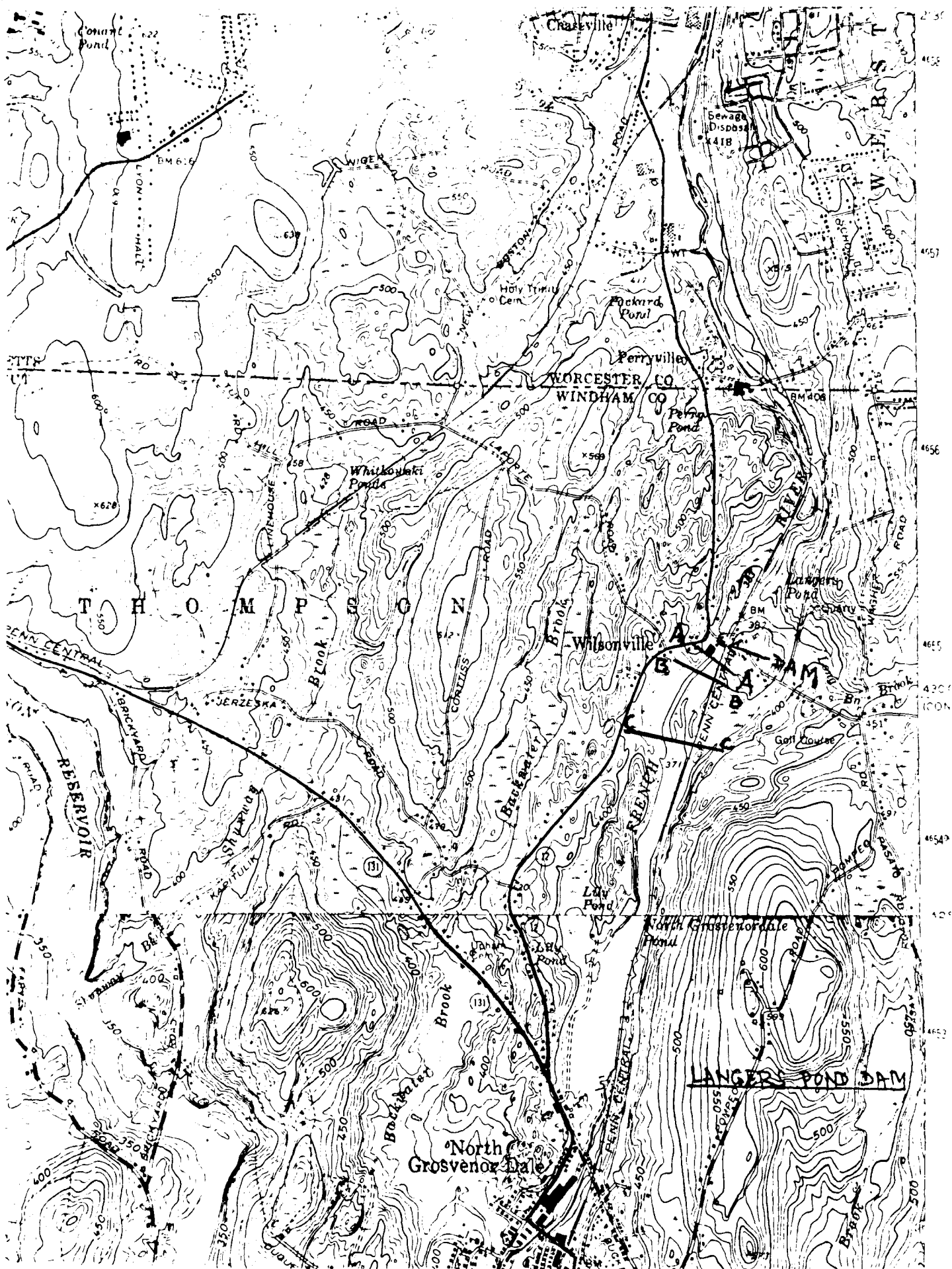
PROJECT Wagner Pond

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PROJECT FEATURE Spillway

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AREA EVALUATED	CONDITION
<b>OUTLET WORKS-SPILLWAY WEIR, APPROACH AND DISCHARGE CHANNELS</b>	
<b>a) <u>Approach Channel</u></b>	
General Condition	Appears good, clear
Loose Rock Overhanging Channel	{ None observed
Trees Overhanging Channel	
Floor of Approach Channel	
	Silt in, sand gravel
<b>b) <u>Weir and Training Walls</u></b>	
General Condition of Concrete	Concrete - good
Rust or Staining	stone masonry - needs repair in 1st
Spalling	end. Stones dislodged. 1st
Any Visible Reinforcing	training wall needs repair.
Any Seepage or Efflorescence	{ None observed
Drain Holes	
	N/A
<b>c) <u>Discharge Channel</u></b>	
General Condition	fair
Loose Rock Overhanging Channel	{ None observed
Trees Overhanging Channel	
Floor of Channel	
Other Obstructions	Some stones, wood debris
	N/A

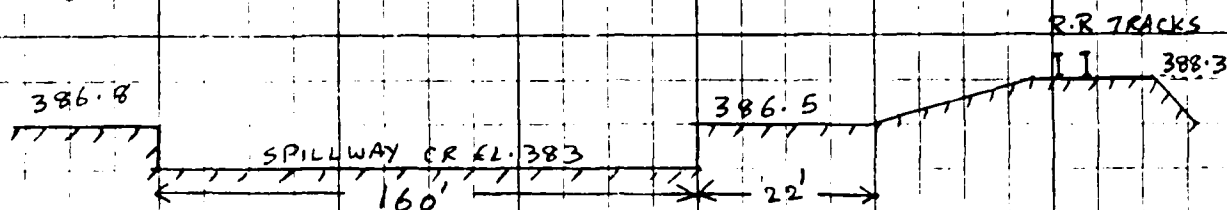


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SPILLWAY CREST ELVN = 383 NGVD \*  
 TOP OF THE DAM EL = 386.5 (ELVN OF THE LEFT  
 ABUTMENT - CONCRETE WALL)  
 TOP OF THE DAM EL = 372.5  
 HEIGHT OF THE DAM = 14 FT (40)



APPROXIMATE POTENTIAL OVERFLOW PROFILE  
 (BASED UPON CAHN INC'S FIELD INFORMATION)

## STORAGE

PLANIMETERING FROM USGS MAP FOR POND SURFACE AREAS:  
 AT EL. 383 (SPILLWAY CREST) = 18 AC.

AT EL. 390 = 31 AC.

A STAGE-POND AREA CURVE  
 IS PLOTTED.

POND AREA AT TOP OF DAM = 35 AC.

AVERAGE POND AREA BET. SP. CR. & TOP OF DAM =  $\frac{18+35}{2} = 26.5$  AC  
 STORAGE BETWEEN SP. CREST & TOP OF DAM =  $3.5 \times 26.5 = 93$  AC.FT  
 STORAGE BELOW SP. CREST =  $\frac{1}{3} \times 18 \times 10.5 = 63$  AC.FT  
 ∴ MAXIMUM IMPOUNDMENT TO TOP OF DAM =  $93 + 63 = 156$  AC.FT(S)

\* THE W.S. ELVN OF 383 MSL ON THE WEBSTER, MASS USGS  
 QUAD SHEET (1969) IS ASSUMED TO BE THE SPILLWAY  
 CREST ELVN ON NATIONAL GEODETIC VERTICAL DATUM  
 (NGVD). ALL OTHER ELVNS ARE REFERENCED TO THIS  
 ASSUMED ELVN AND ARE OBTAINED BASED UPON  
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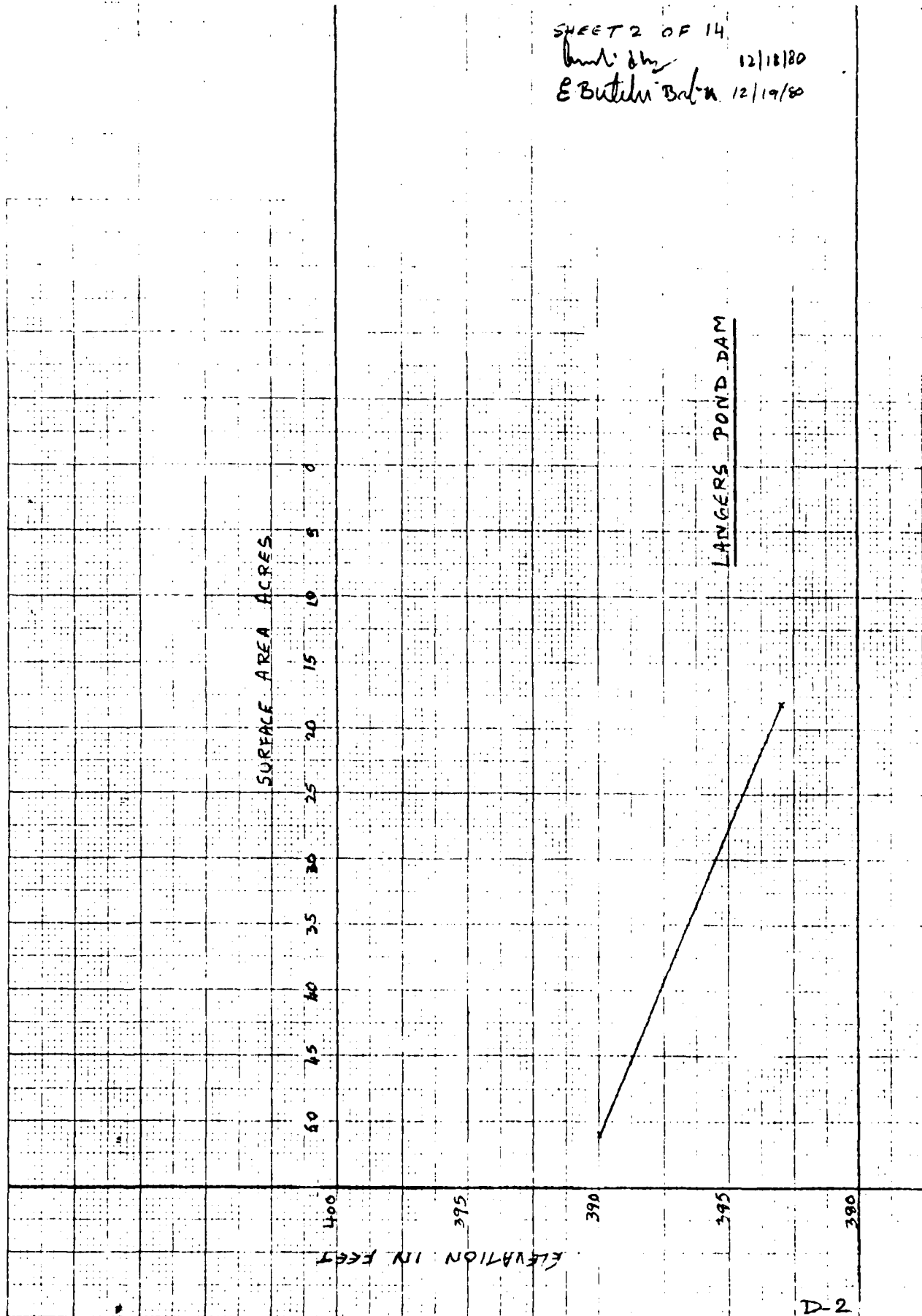
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BREACH ANALYSIS

DOWNSTREAM FAILURE HAZARD:

BREACH OUTFLOW  $Q_b = \frac{8}{27} W_b \sqrt{g} y_o^{3/2}$  BASED UPON CORPS  
 OF ENGINEERS "RULE OF THUMB" GUIDANCE FOR  
 ESTIMATING DIS DAM FAILURE HYDROGRAPHS

ESTIMATED BREACH WIDTH = 40% OF MID-HEIGHT LENGTH  
 OF DAM

MID-HEIGHT LENGTH IS ASSUMED = LENGTH OF THE SPILLWAY FOR  
 LACK OF OTHER DATA

∴ BREACH WIDTH = 160 FT.  
 $= 0.4 \times 160 = 64 \text{ FT.}$

$$Q_b = \frac{8}{27} \times 64 \sqrt{32.2} \times (14)^{3/2} = 5640 \text{ CFS}$$

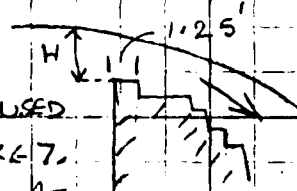
PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW  $Q_p = Q_b + \text{DISCHARGE OVER UNBREACHED}$   
 LENGTH OF THE SPILLWAY

UNBREACHED LENGTH OF SPILLWAY =  $160' - 64' = 96'$

$$Q_{sp} = C L H^{3/2}$$

FOR BROAD CRESTED CONCRETE SPILLWAY  
 WITH U/S FACE ASSUMED VERTICAL  $C = 3.5$  USED

(REF: USGS BOOK 3, CHAPTER A5, FIGURE 7,  
 P. 10 - MEASUREMENT OF PEAK DISCHARGE AT  
 DAM BY INDIRECT METHODS)



$$Q_{sp} = 3.5 \times 96 \times (3.5)^{3/2} \quad \text{FOR POOL AT TOP OF DAM}$$

$$= 2200 \text{ CFS}$$

$$\text{PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW } Q_p = 5640 + 2200 = 7840 \text{ CFS}$$

ESTIMATED FAILURE FLOOD DEPTH IMMEDIATELY D/S  
 FROM DAM =  $0.44 \times \frac{1}{4}$   
 $= 0.44 \times 14 = 6.2 \text{ FT.}$

(NOTE: THE TAILWATER EFFECT DUE TO NORTH  
 GROSVENORDALE POND LOCATED D/S DOES NOT  
 APPEAR TO INFLUENCE THIS ANALYSIS)

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PERFORM DIS ROUTING OF PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW  
SELECT A SECTION AA 300' DIS OF THE DAM. THIS  
SECTION IS SELECTED TO ESTIMATE POSSIBLE FLOODING  
DAMAGE TO THE MANUFACTURING FACILITY (SIMONDS CO)  
USING MANNING'S EQUATION

$$Q = \frac{1.486}{n} \times A \times R^{2/3} \times A^{1/2}$$

$n = 0.06$  ASSUMED (STONES)  
 $A = 0.0016$  FROM USGS MAP

$$= \frac{1.486}{0.06} \times A \times R^{2/3} \times (0.0016)^{1/2}$$

$$= 1.0 \times A \times R^{2/3}$$

RIVER BED ELEV. AT SECTION AA = 372 (BASED UPON  
 $A = 0.0016$ )

ELVN	A SQ. FT	T	R = A/P	$R^{2/3}$	Q CFS
372	0	—	—	—	0
374	64	63.7	1.0	1.0	64
376	253	126.8	2.0	1.59	402
378	565	188.9	2.99	2.08	1175
380	1000	250.5	3.99	2.52	2580
382	1412	283.2	4.99	2.92	4123
384	1884	314.9	5.98	3.30	6217
386	2415	346.1	6.98	3.65	8815

STAGE-AREA AND STAGE DISCHARGE CURVES ARE  
PLOTTED FOR SECTION AA

FOR PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW  $Q_P = 7840$  CFS,  
ELVN = 385.2 FROM STAGE DISCHARGE CURVE  
FROM STAGE-AREA CURVE AREA = 2188 SQ. FT

$$\text{VOLUME OF REACH } V_1 = \frac{300 \times 2188}{43.560} = 15 \text{ AC. FT}$$

$$\text{TRIAL } Q_{P2} = Q_P \left(1 - \frac{V_1}{S}\right), \text{ WHERE } S = \text{STORAGE TO TOP OF DAM}$$

$$= 7840 \left(1 - \frac{15}{156}\right) = 7080 \text{ CFS}$$

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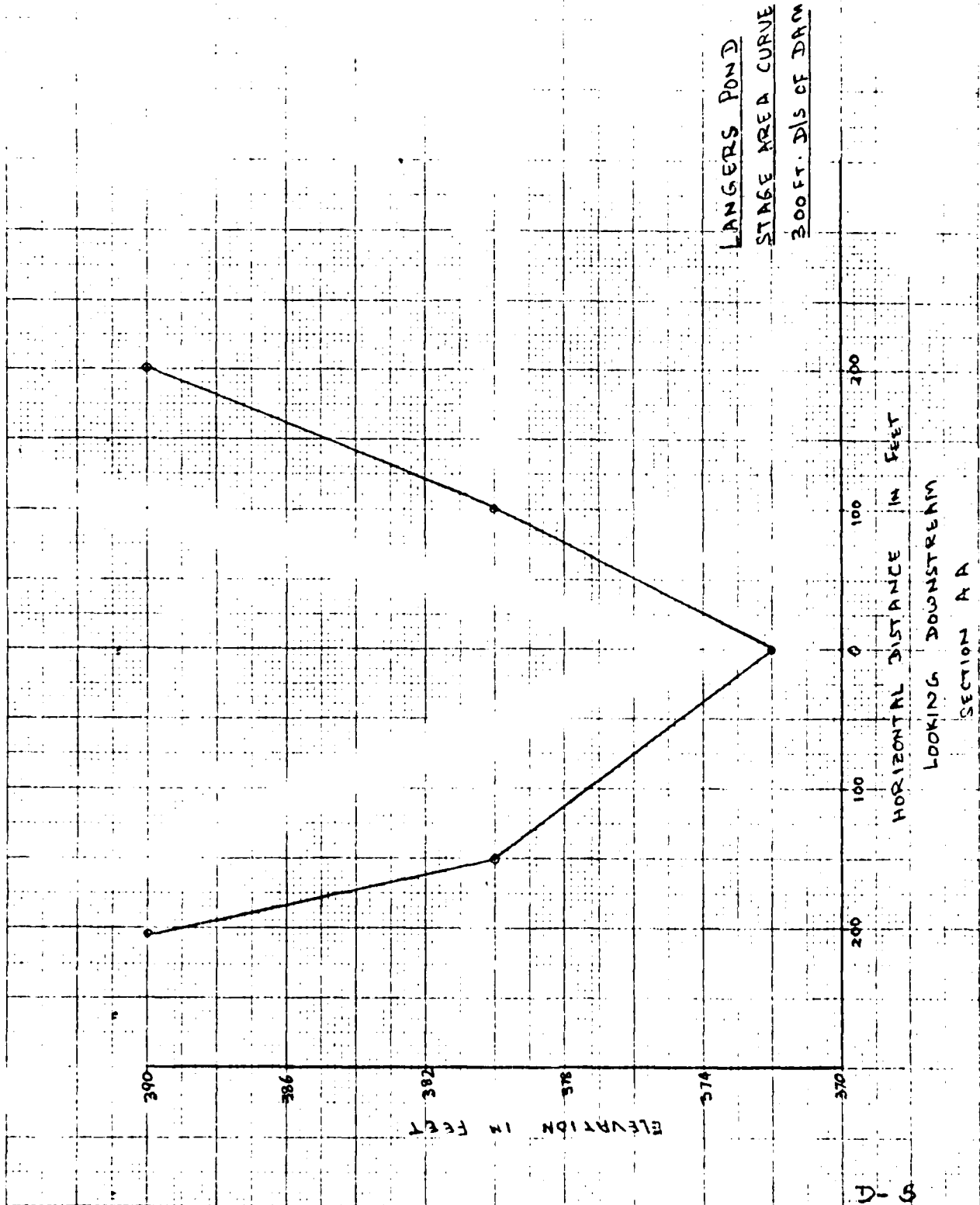
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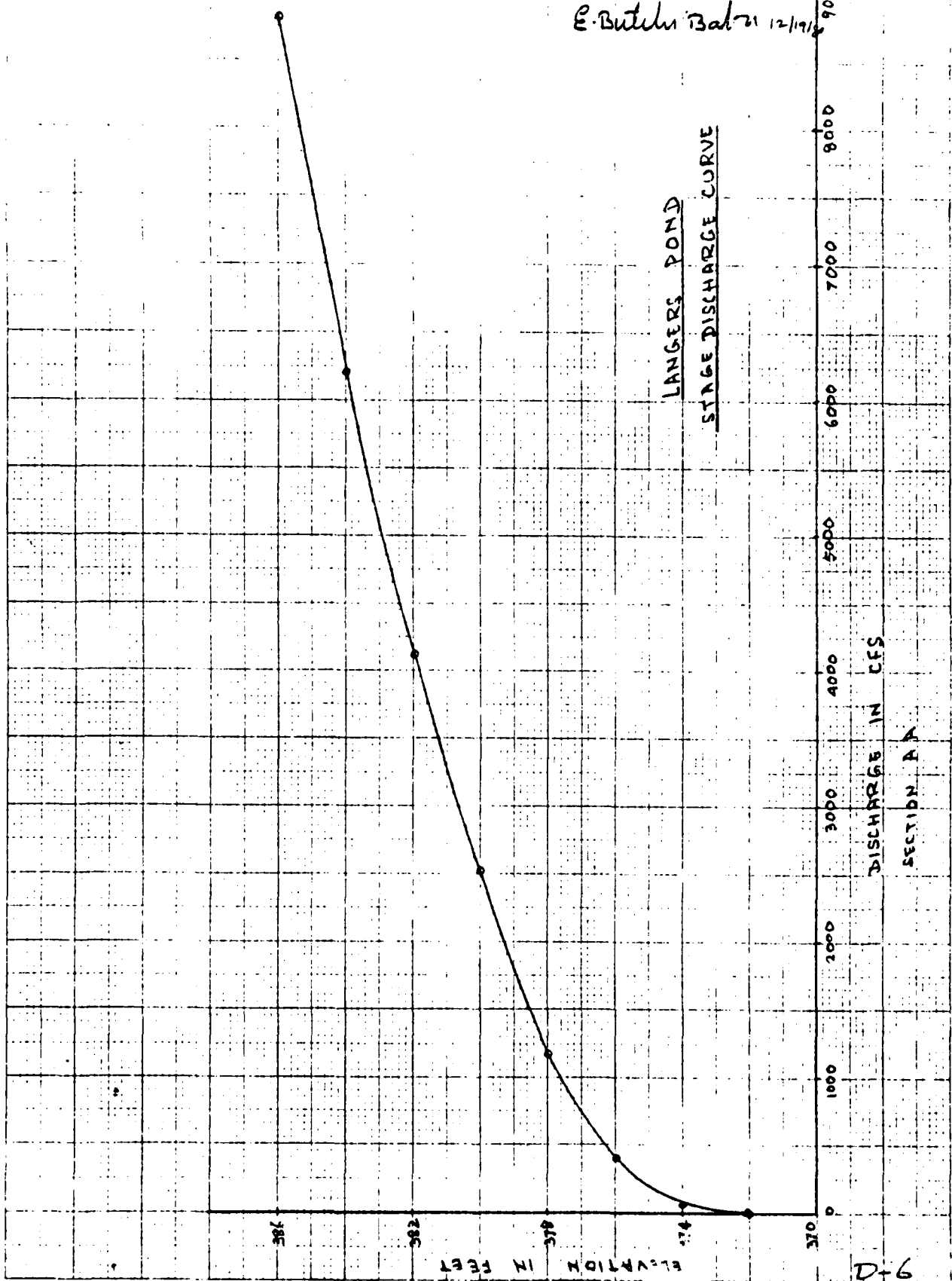
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300 FT. DIS OF DAM



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FOR THIS G.P., THE STAGE DISCHARGE CURVE GIVES  
ELVN = 384.6 AND AREA = 2035 SQ. FT.  
 $V_2 = \frac{300 \times 2035}{43.560} = 14 \text{ AC. FT.}$

RE COMPUTING  $Q P_2 = 7840 \left(1 - \frac{14.715}{156}\right) = 7110 \text{ CFS.}$

FLOOD STAGE AT SECTION AA = EL. 384.6

FLOOD DEPTH AT SECTION AA = EL. 384.6 - EL. 372 = 12.6 FT.

AND VELOCITY AT SECTION AA =  $\frac{7110}{2035} = 3.5 \text{ FPS}$

THE 1ST FLOOR OF SIMONDS CO. MANUFACTURING FACILITY IS AT  
LEAST 2 FT. ABOVE THIS FLOOD STAGE OF 384.6.

SELECT A SECTION BB 340' DIS. OF AA

BED ELVN AT BB = EL. 372.5  $640 \times .0016 = 371.5$

USING MANNING'S EQUATION

$$Q = \frac{1.486}{n} \times A \times R^{2/3} \times S^{1/2}$$

$$= 1.0 \times A \times R^{2/3}$$

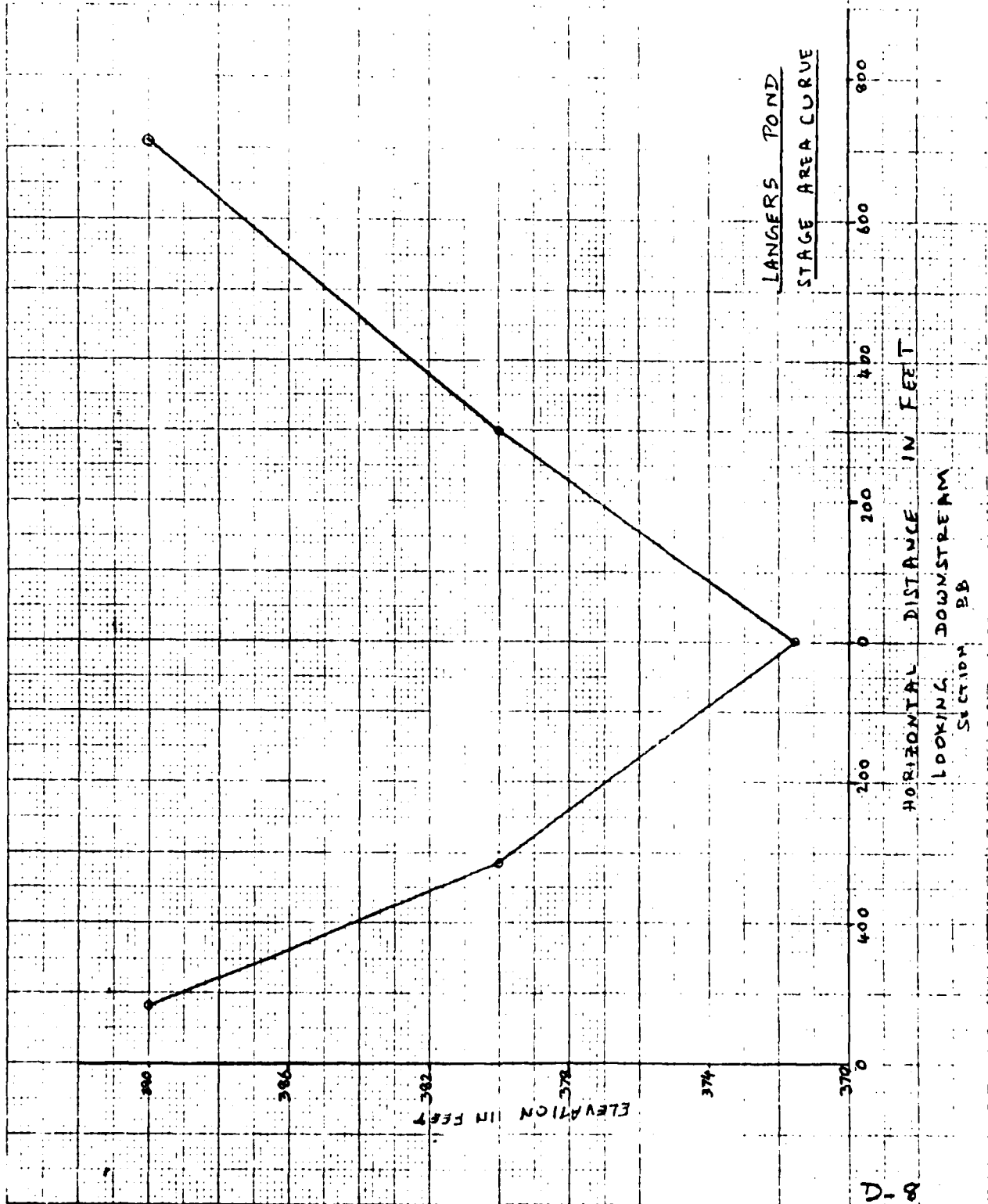
$n = 0.06$  ASSUMED  
 $S = 0.0016$  (USGS MAP)

ELVN	A SQ. FT.	P	$R = A/P$	$R^{2/3}$	Q CFS
371.5	0	-	-	-	0
374	219	175.1	1.25	1.16	254
378	1511	465.2	3.25	2.2	3324
380	2614	615.2	4.25	2.62	6862
382	3859	735.2	5.25	3.02	11654

STAGE AREA AND STAGE DISCHARGE CURVES ARE  
PLOTTED FOR SECTION BB

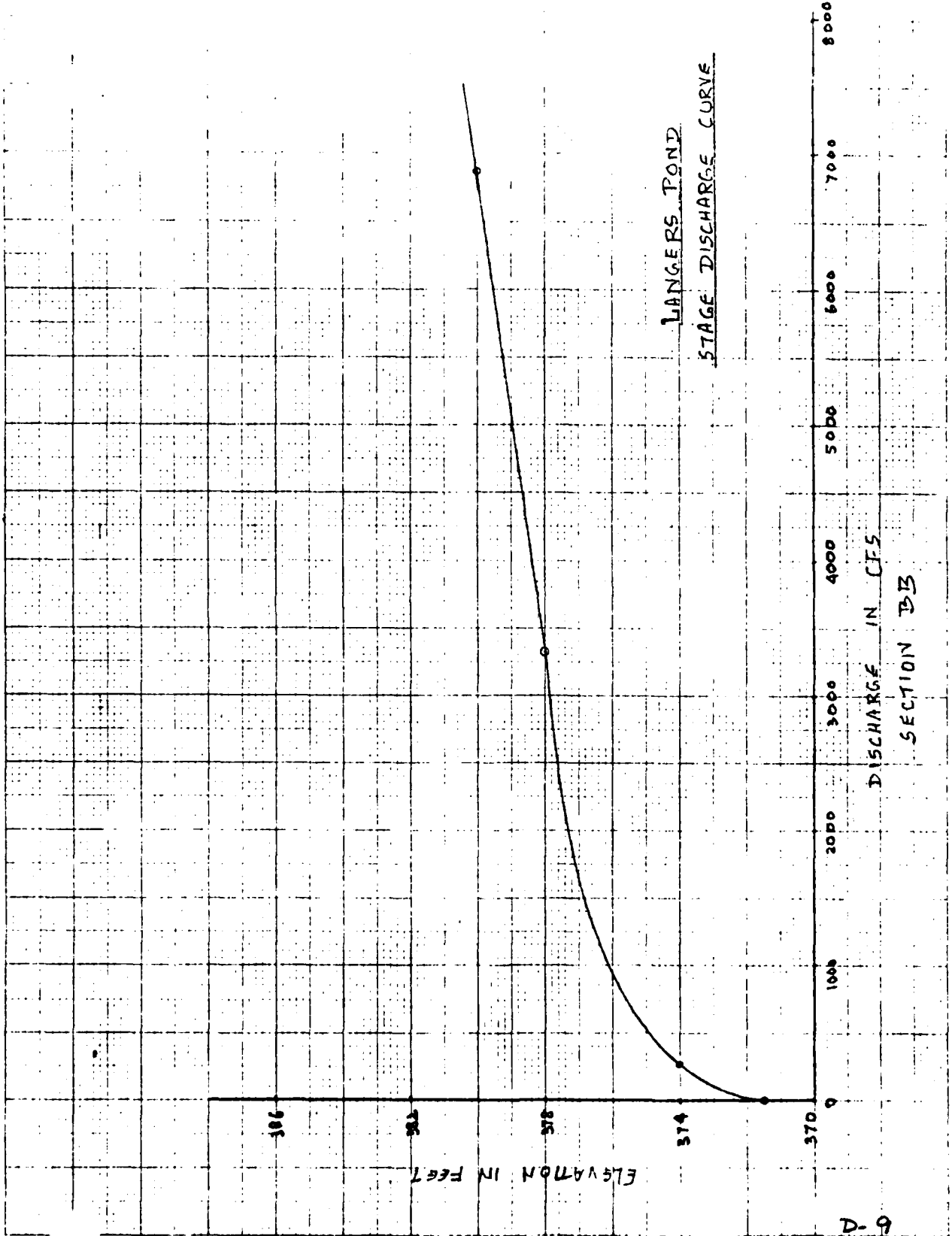
FOR PEAK OUTFLOW  $Q P_1 = 7110 \text{ CFS.}$  ELVN = 380.2  
AND AREA = 2767 SQ. FT.

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VOLUME OF REACH $V_1 = \frac{340 \times 2761}{43.560} = 21.6 \text{ AC. FT.}$						
STORAGE REMAINING $= (156 - 14.15) = 141.5 \text{ AC. FT.}$						
TRIAL $Q_{P2} = Q_{P1} \left(1 - \frac{V_1}{S}\right)$						
$= 7110 \left(1 - \frac{21.6}{141.5}\right) = 6025 \text{ CFS}$						
FOR THIS $Q_{P2}$ , ELVN $= 379.6$ AND AREA $= 2365 \text{ SQ. FT.}$						
V2 $= \frac{340 \times 2365}{43.560} = 18.0 \text{ AC. FT.}$						
RECOMPUTING $Q_{P2} = 7110 \left(1 - \frac{21.6 + 18.0}{141.5}\right) = 6100 \text{ CFS}$						
FLOOD STAGE AT SECTION BB $= 379.6$						
FLOOD DEPTH AT SECTION BB $= 379.6 - 371.5 = 8.1 \text{ FT.}$						
AND VELOCITY AT SECTION BB $= \frac{6100}{2365} = 2.6 \text{ FPS}$						
SELECT A SECTION CC 1290' DIS OF BB						
BED ELVN @ SECTION CC $= 372.5 - 1930 \times .0016 = 369.4$						
USING MANNING'S EQUATION						
$Q = \frac{1.486}{n} \times A \times R^{2/3} \times S^{1/2}$ <span style="float: right;"><math>n = 0.08</math> ASSUMED</span>						
$= 0.74 \times A \times R^{2/3}$ <span style="float: right;"><math>n = 0.016</math> (USGS MAP)</span>						
STORAGE REMAINING $= 141.5 - \frac{21.6 + 18.0}{2} = 121.5 \text{ AC. FT.}$						
ELVN	A SQ. FT.	P	R = A/P	$R^{2/3}$	Q CFS	
369.4	0	—	—	—	0	
372	442	340	1.3	1.2	312	
374	1380	600.2	2.3	1.74	1777	
376	2971	870.2	3.3	2.22	4716	
378	4833	1124.3	4.3	2.64	9442	
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STAGE AREA AND STAGE DISCHARGE CURVES ARE  
 PLOTTED FOR SECTION CC.

FOR PEAK CUTOFF  $Q_{P1} = 6100 \text{ CFS}$ , ELVN = 376.6  
 AND AREA = 3398 \text{ SQ. FT.}

VOLUME OF REACH  $V_1 = \frac{1290 \times 3398}{43.560} = 100,640 \text{ AC. FT.}$

TRIAL  $Q_{P2} = Q_{P1} \left(1 - \frac{V_1}{S}\right)$   
 $= 6100 \left(1 - \frac{100.6}{121.5}\right) = 1049 \text{ CFS}$

FOR THIS  $Q_{P2}$ , ELVN = 373.2, AREA = 950 \text{ SQ. FT.}

$\therefore V_2 = \frac{1290 \times 950}{43.560} = 29 \text{ AC. FT.}$

RECOMPUTING  $Q_{P2} = 6100 \left(1 - \frac{100.6 + 29}{121.5}\right)$   
 $= 2870 \text{ CFS}$

FLOOD STAGE AT SECTION CC = 373.2

FLOOD DEPTH AT SECTION CC = 373.2 - 369.4 = 3.8 FT.

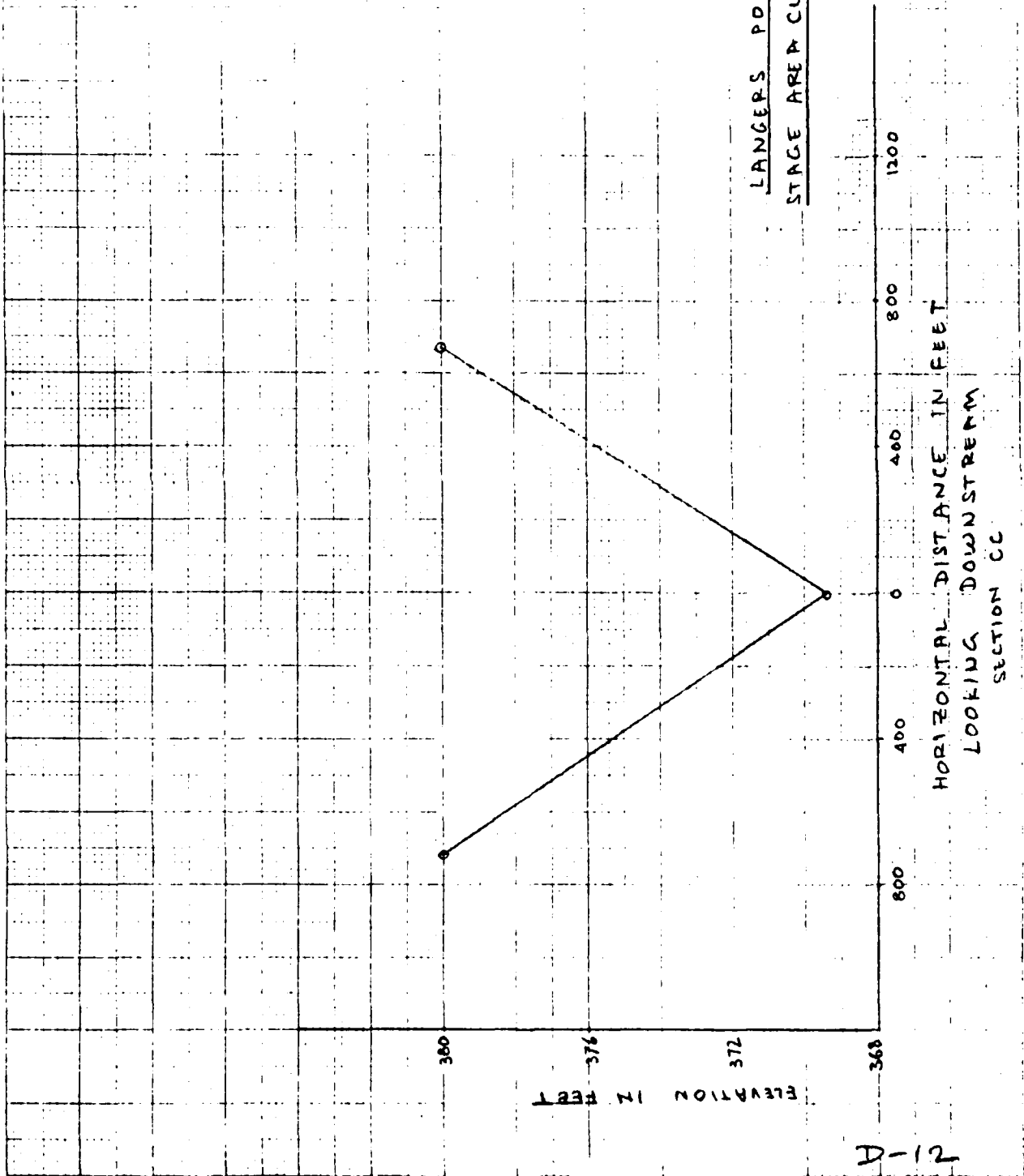
AND VELOCITY AT SECTION CC =  $\frac{2870}{950} = 3.0 \text{ FPS}$

STORAGE VOLUME REMAINING =  $121.5 - \frac{100.6 + 29}{2}$

= 57 AC. FT.

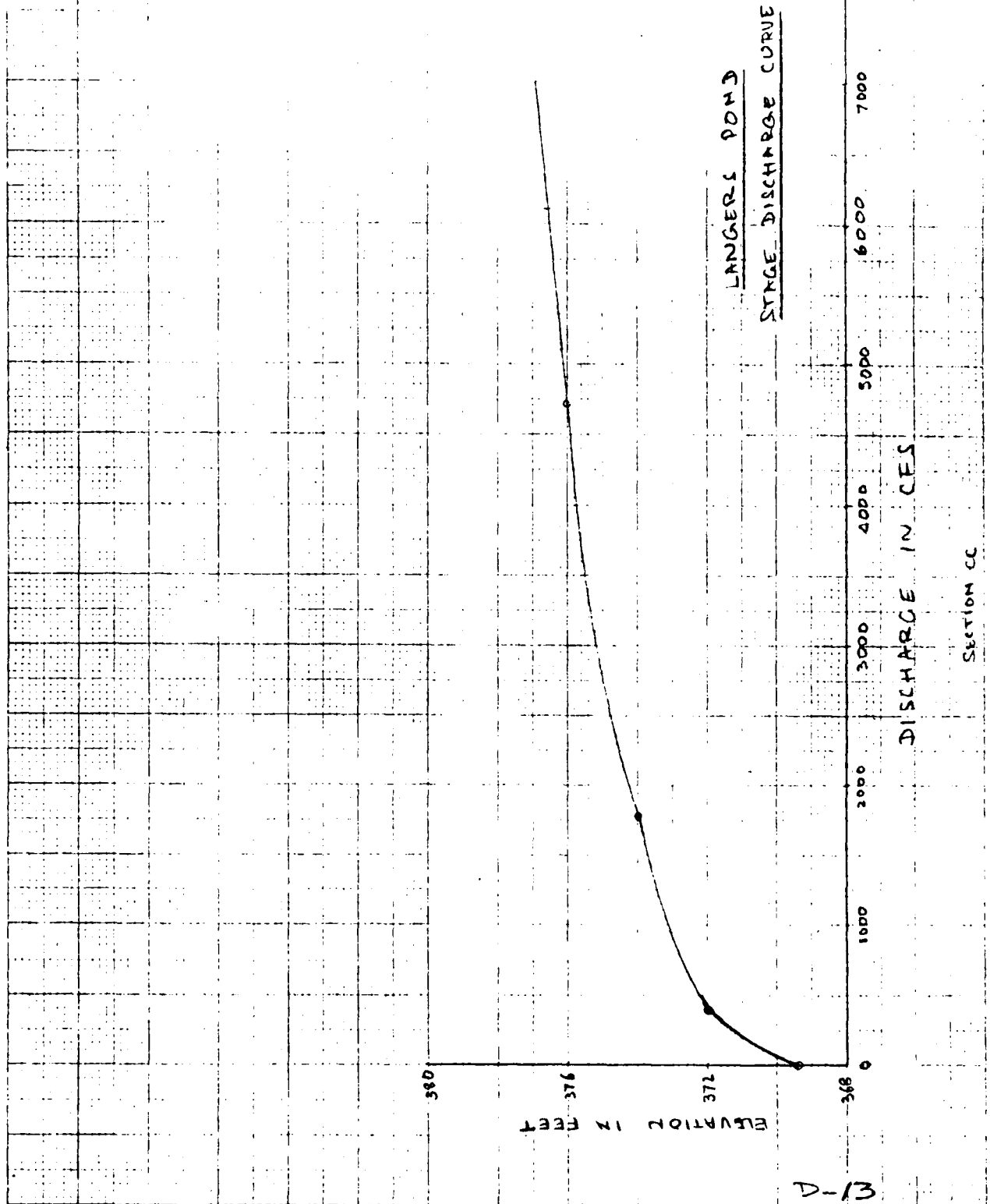
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PROJECT NON FEDERAL DAM INSPECTION PROJECT NO. 80-10-19 SHEET 14 OF 14  
NEW ENGLAND DIVISION COMPUTED BY John A. Smith DATE 12/18/80  
LANGERS POND DAM CHECKED BY Butch Butler DATE 12/19/80

## FAILURE HAZARD POTENTIAL

THE FAILURE ANALYSIS WAS DONE WITH POOL AT TOP OF DAM (EL. 386.5 NGVD).

### SUMMARY OF BREACH ANALYSIS RESULTS:

LOCATION	DISTANCE FROM DAM FT.	PEAK FLOW RATE CFS	FLOOD STAGE	FLOOD DEPTH FT.	VELOCITY FPS	STORAGE REMAINING AC. FT.
DAM	0	7840	378.7	6.2	—	156
AA	300	7110	384.6	12.6	3.5	141.5
BB	640	6100	379.6	8.1	2.6	121.5

AT SECTION AA, THE FLOOD STAGE IS 384.6 WHEREAS THE 1ST FLOOR ELEVATION OF SIMONDS MANUFACTURING BUILDING IS 386.6. HOWEVER, THE LOWER FLOOR OF THE BUILDING ADJACENT TO THE RIVER COULD BE SUBJECT TO FLOOD DAMAGE. ALSO, THE RAILROAD TRACKS COULD BE INUNDATED IN THE VICINITY OF SECTION AA. BETWEEN SECTION AA AND CC, NO OTHER STRUCTURE IS LIKELY TO BE FLOODED. THE REMAINING STORAGE VOLUME OF 57 AC. FT. AT SECTION CC WOULD BE ATTENUATED IN THE NORTH GROSVENORDALE POND (60 AC.) WITH A RISE OF WATER ELEVATION BY LESS THAN 1 FT. IN THE POND.

THUS, DUE TO DAM FAILURE SOME ECONOMIC LOSS, PRIMARILY AT SIMONDS CO. COULD BE EXPECTED. HOWEVER, LOSS OF LIFE FROM DAM FAILURE IS UNLIKELY. THEREFORE, THE LANGERS POND DAM IS CLASSIFIED AS A "LOW" HAZARD POTENTIAL DAM.

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NATIONAL PROGRAM FOR INSPECTION OF NON-FEDERAL DAMS. LANGERS POND DAM (CT 00188), WILSONVILLE CONNECTICUT, FRENCH RIVER  
PHASE I INSPECTION REPORT.

ABSTRACT

(U) LANGERS POND DAM IS A 10.5 FOOT HIGH, L-SHAPED, RUN-OF-THE-RIVER STONE MASONRY GRAVITY STRUCTURE. THE DAM WAS CONSTRUCTED IN 1880 TO SUPPLY WATER FOR THE GENERATION OF POWER FOR THE MILL AT THE DAM, NOW THE SIMONDS COMPANY. IN RECENT TIMES, THE POWER GENERATING FACILITIES HAVE BEEN INOPERABLE, HOWEVER, THE PRESENT OWNER IS IN THE PROCESS OF RESTORING THESE FACILITIES. THE DRAINAGE AREA IS APPROXIMATELY 97 SQUARE MILES AND THE MAXIMUM IMPOUNDMENT TO THE TOP OF THE DAM IS 158 ACRE-Feet. BECAUSE THE DAM IS A RUN-OF-THE-RIVER STRUCTURE, THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF THE DAM IS USED AS A SPILLWAY. IT IS 160 FEET IN LENGTH, AND CONSTRUCTED OF STONE MASONRY WITH A CONCRETE SECTION ALONG THE UPSTREAM FACE. BASED UPON THE VISUAL INSPECTION, THE PROJECT APPEARS TO BE IN GOOD CONDITION. THE FOLLOWING FEATURES WHICH COULD INFLUENCE THE FUTURE CONDITION AND/OR STABILITY WERE IDENTIFIED. (1) STONES APPEAR TO HAVE BECOME DISLODGED FROM THE DOWNSTREAM FACE AT THE LEFT SIDE OF THE DAM; (2) THE DOWNSTREAM END OF THE LEFT TRAINING WALL NEEDS REPAIR. THE WALL IN THIS AREA IS BROKEN UP AND FALLING INTO THE CHANNEL. (3) THERE IS NO LOW-LEVEL OUTLET AT THE DAM. HOWEVER, IF THE EXISTING SLUICeway A ND GATES ARE REPAIRED, THIS SHOULD PROVIDE A SUFFICIENT OUTLET.

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PHRASES NOT FOUND DURING LEXICAL DICTIONARY MATCH PROCESS

10.5 FOOT  
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